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MISCELLANEOUS.

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.

NEW YORK DIVISION.

Trains to and from Bristol Station

For Philadelphia.

Kensington Depot, **7:08, 7:31, 8:21, 9:21** A. M. **12:24, 3:20, 4:26, 5:51**, and **7:16**, P. M. West Phila. Depot, **6:25, 10:33** A. M., and **1:11, 3:09, 6:59**, and **9:56** P. M. On Sundays, Kensington Depot, **12:24**, and **5:24** P. M. West Phila. Depot, at **6:59** and **9:56** P. M.

For New York.

At **12:54, 7:37, 9:13**, and **11:43** A. M., **2:39, 6:19**, and **7:39** P. M. Sunday trains **9:13** A. M., and **8:10** P. M.

For Trenton.

At **8:23, 9:13, 11:00**, and **11:43** A. M., **12:43, 2:39, 2:53, 4:48, 5:24, 5:59, 6:10, 6:58, 7:39**, and **9:03** P. M. On Sundays, **9:13 9:40**, A. M. and **2:53, 8:10**, P. M.

The 8.23, 11.00, 11.43, A. M., 2.53, 4.48, and 5.59 P. M. trains connect with Belvidere Division.

From Trenton.

At **6:40, 7:10, 8:00, 9:00**, and **10:14** A. M., **12:00** M., **12:55, 2:50, 3:00, 4:05, 5:30, 6:42 6:55**, and **9:35** P. M. On Sundays, **12:00** noon, **5:00, 6:42**, and **9:35** P. M.

From Philadelphia.

Leaves Kensington Depot, at **7:40**, and **10:15** A. M. **12:01 2:10, 4:10, 4:40, 5:30, 6:15**, and **8:20** P. M. West Philadelphia Depot, at **8:30** and **11:00** A. M., and **2:00, 5:10** and **7:00** P. M. and **12:00** night.

From New York.

At **7:25, 8:15**, and **10:55** A. M., **12:55, 3:55, 4:55** and **7:25** P. M.

From Philadelphia, Westward.

Trains leave West Philadelphia for Harrisburg, Pittsburg and the West, at 8.00, A. M., and 12.55 6.15, P. M., daily, except Sunday, and 7.20, 9.40 A. M. 11.55, P. M., daily.

For Harrisburg, Williamsport, the Oil Regions and Erie, at 12.55 and 11.55, P. M.

For Harrisburg, Elmira, Canandaigua, Niagara Falls, &c., at 7.20, A. M.

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ESTATE NOTICE.

Estate of Martha Whitecraft, late of the Borough of Bristol, in the County of Bucks, deceased. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having legal demands against the same are desired to present them in proper order for settlement, without delay, to CHARLES YORK, Administrator.

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Whereas Robert Wright, and Jane his Wife, of Bristol borough, Bucks county, Pennsylvania, have, by deed of voluntary assignment, conveyed all their property, real and personal, to the undersigned, in trust for the benefit of their creditors. Notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said Assignors, to make immediate payment, and those having claims to present them, without delay to JAMES WRIGHT, Bristol, June 26, 1879. Assignee.

ESTATE NOTICE.

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She is not vain—this dainty flower,
But bends her pliant form
To meet the motive of the hour,
And welcomes sun or storm;
For when there comes a cloud of rain
She fills her cups with dew,
And when the warm day comes again
She'll serve some up to you.

The Little Dreamer.

A little boy was dreaming,
Upon his nurse's lap,
That the pins fell out of all the stars,
And the stars fell into his cap.
So, when his dream over,
What should that little boy do?
Why, he went and looked inside his cap,
And found it wasn't true. —*Methodist.*

The Only Fault.

Nature, on my Chloris lavish,
Gave her what must hearts o'er ravish;
Gave a form of grace transcendent;
Eyes of brilliancy resplendent;
Cheeks where rose and lily blended,
And, what these the more commended,
Gave her, too, a charming spirit,
Adding—which was no small merit—
Talent deftly to expose it;
But, alas! my Chloris knows it.

Sowing.

A wonderful thing is seed—
The one thing deathless forever!
The one thing changeless—utterly true—
Forever old and forever new,
And fickle and faithless never.

Plant blessings, and blessings will bloom;
Plant hate, and hate will grow;
You can sow to-day—to-morrow will bring
The blossom that proves what sort of thing
Is the seed—the seed you sow.

Earth and Heaven.

Earth is our little island home,
And heaven the neighboring continent,
Whence winds to every inlet come,
With balmiest scent.

And tenderest whispers thence we hear,
From those who lately sailed across;
They love us still; since heaven is near,
Death is not loss.

From mountain slopes of breezes and balm,
What melodies arrest the ear;
What memories ripple through the calm!
We'll keep near shore.
—*Transcript.*

Individual Meccas.

BY H. H.

The Moslem roams the world from East to West,
And finds no alien clime, no hostile strand,
No loneliness in any desert land,
So he but know by some unerring test
Which way lies Mecca. Then he is at rest,
Happy, on bended knee, with outstretched hand
He prays; then rises girded to withstand
All foes; secure and honored, Allah's guest.
Hearts have their Mecca. Waters may be wide,
And mountains stretch across a continent,
The faithful from their worship to divide;
But love is leagued with every element.
The earth no secret from true love can hide;
True hearts their Mecca know, and are content.

Daisy Picking.

A little child, knee deep in meadow grasses,
Her tiny apron heaped with blooms of spring;
Lightly above her head the soft wind passes,
Sweetly along her way the blue birds sing.

Quickly fly the eager glances hither, thither;
The little grasping fingers know no bound;
Already some fair buds began to wither,
Some softly drop unnoticed to the ground.

No matter now, the world is full of sweetness;
Stretches the field before her wide and gay;
Blithe little heart that knows no incompleteness,
No touch of gloom in all the sunny day.

Ah, gladly take what spring time brings of gladness.
Each tender blossomed joy of childhood's hour;
For days will come, when treading slow in sadness,
Thou may'st search vainly for the wayside flower. —*Home Journal.*

DO AS YOU'RE BID.

"Mind a man!"

The words were uttered in a tone of splendid scorn; but an unseen auditor round the corner of the piazza only smiled; and yet he was a man.

"But, Doll, you will have to mind your husband," responded a gentle, drawling, exasperating voice.

"Shall I?" returned the clear and spirited note of the first speaker. "He has not appeared on the stage yet, Grace. When he does, it seems to me, will be time enough to contemplate submission.

The gentleman on the piazza smiled again, but he rose quietly and walked away; he did not like to be a listener, however involuntarily, for he was a gentleman. He did not altogether escape that presence, however, by his own absence. He carried with him a vivid picture of the tall, slight figure, graceful as a deer; the dark, tender eyes, that could be full of lightning; the proud, delicate, sensitive face; the abundant brown hair, shot with red rays, like a ripe chestnut skin. He had studied this portrait many days, for he had known Dorothea Schenck as a child; and though for years they had not met, this summer they were together at a quiet little tavern in the hills of Vermont, Mr. Horton for a rest from a year of hard work in a city parish, Dora to be with her invalid mother, who could not bear her usual round of Newport and Saratoga.

Dorothea Schenck was a spoiled child. The idea of obedience was as distasteful to her as bit and bridle to a wild horse. Her outbreak this morning was excited by some careless gossip of Grace Hamilton's—a girl of her own age who had come with them to Addis, partly because Dora had coaxed her, partly because it was cheap; and Grace was not too rich.

The subject of their discourse had been the sufferings, publicly paraded, of a certain little lady known to this party, who had been very—and, indeed, absurdly extravagant, and brought her husband to the brink of failure; so near that she had been compelled to accept a sudden and severe retrenchment. Grace's aunt, who was also staying at the Saltash House, had blamed Mrs. Blake severely, and Dora had objected till Grace affirmed that she did not at all sympathize with Mrs. Blake, as her husband had been very open with her in regard to his business affairs, and had long since told her that she must give up certain habits of lavish expense, or expect him to fail—a fact which the natural levity and folly of the woman's nature led her to treat as a threat; and so the end came.

"And I'm not sorry for her; she ought to have minded him!" Grace said. "A woman's natural duty is obedience; she ought to have known that it is our destiny to yield to our superiors," whined Miss Hamilton; and this, which seemed to Dora superlative cant, had brought out her sharp exclamation. She herself was utterly undisciplined; a blind indulgence had set her adrift in life without an idea of duty, and she had yet to learn any law but her own will, or any restraint but her own caprices. Poor child! life is the sternest of teachers, even with all the preparation that can be made for its encounter, and a merciless pedagogue to the wilful and ignorant. Mr. Horton was bewitched with Dora against his judgment; her fresh, piquant grace, her beauty, her very insurgent way of action and speech, captivated him; he knew with painful clearness that she was as unfit for a minister's wife as a woman could be, but he knew also that without her his life would lose its savor, and become routine of the dullest color, perhaps misery, though conscience warned him not to be so weak as this, while his work remained yet to be done.

The next day there was to be that resort of country boarders in lack of all other amusement, a picnic to Glen Falls, a wild ravine in the heart of the hills through which a rapid brook tore its way, plunging from one precipice to another, at no one spot to be seen in full beauty, but reserving its coy surprises for those who had skill and strength to climb upward to its source—a clear mountain pond that slept amid dark woods, fed by hidden springs. The day was warm, yet fresh with the wonderful freshness of mountain air; and when the long wagon of Saltash House arrived at the foot of the ravine, all the younger members of the party were unanimous in their resolve to climb to clear the pond, while the old ladies, and one white-haired bachelor who cared little for scenery and much for his ease remained quietly on a broad rock by the lower pool, where thick pine boughs sheltered them from the sun, and the cool odor of dripping water seemed to disperse whatever heat the July weather threatened. Two couples had already gone upward, when Dora and Grace, attended by Mr. Horton and Ned Schenck, a cousin of Dora's began the climb. Both gentlemen had been sufficiently accustomed to forest paths to make the matter easy as far as they were concerned, but to feet used only to pavements of the city or the smooth turf of the croquet ground, this rough yet slippery ascent looked fearful enough; nor were delicate kid boots the best preparation for sharp rocks and moss strewn with pine needles. It seemed all but impossible for Dora to attempt such a task, but her pride forbade retreat, while Grace in despair suffered herself to be half carried up the steepest pitches by Ned Schenck, and lifted bodily over stones and logs that she declared herself altogether unable to surmount. Fortunately for her protector, she was slight, and not tall; he could easily spare all the strength necessary. But Dora would not allow herself to be more than guided, though the guidance was peremptory.

"Put your foot here, Miss Schenck; now the other on that stone. Give me your left hand, and take firm hold of that bough to the right."

Dora obeyed with the most childlike confidence, for the abyss below her and the height above were alike terrible; but she had that best of courage which will not turn back, though trembling with terror.

Grace, from below, a helpless burden, saw with a sort of pique how well Dora endured the march, and caught Mr. Horton's admiring glances at the little figure that was at once so brave and docile. To tell the truth, Grace had intended the handsome young clergyman should be her own escort, and was not at all satisfied at being relegated to Ned Schenck's care, who was strong and good-tempered, no doubt, but neither good-looking nor rich. It was not from pure desire to tease that Grace called out, in her soft, drawling tones: "Doll, you are really a miracle. I never expected to see you 'mind a man' so implicitly."

Dora was indignant. She knew very well that Grace could be spiteful; but the spite did not hurt her as much as the answering consciousness that, in spite of her fine theories, she had been most implicitly submissive to Mr. Horton's escort. The girlish silly pride that was her great fault rose in arms; she did not answer Grace, but with a resolute look on her flushed face, sprang onward after her own fashion, stumbling and clinging as well as she could, every moment expecting Mr. Horton to advise or remonstrate, but bent on heeding his voice no more.

She expected in vain. He said nothing, and the smile on his face would not have pleased her; he only followed fast behind her, till they came to a little grassy platform at the bend of the stream, where the rocks retreated and the trees had been swept away directly in front of the last and highest fall, which descended here at right angles with the rest of the stream, behind a cliff that hid it entirely from the lower pool.

Grace had stopped far below; she was heated and tired, and angry too. Ned Schenck did not mind her petulance, for he did not care for her; so he sat down on the other end of the log where she had seated herself, and profaned the delicate forest odors with a cigar. Dora stopped a moment to take breath and admire the beautiful fall before them, which dashed its white water down the sheer black rock, and sprinkled with bright dew the luxuriant ferns and vines that fringed the bank on either side. Then she turned to follow the very slight indication of a path upward. Mr. Horton was ready to follow; but the moment she set her foot on the rock which was her first step, and extended her hand to grasp a ledge above, which must be climbed he cried out, in a loud, imperative voice, "Dora, stop!"

The voice was so decisive, so powerful, so full of command which is the counterpart of obedience, that without a thought of rebellion Dora stood like a statue. In an instant Mr. Horton put his arm about her, swung her back, and began to strike rapidly and fiercely at something on the crest of the ledge; and in another minute he lifted a dead rattlesnake on his cane and flung it far into the stream. Dora turned sick, and sat down on a stone, shuddering and pale. Mr. Horton only said, "excuse me, Miss Schenck; the danger was too near for me to be less imperative."

Dora shivered. "If you had not, I should be dead now."

"Not at all," laughed Mr. Horton. "I know these woods too well to be ever without the proper alleviations for a snake bite, but I never yet used them, though I have met and killed a good many. Rattlesnakes are dull creatures, unless they coil to spring and one blow with a heavy stick will kill them. Very few people die of their bites. I have only heard of one case in these regions and that was a child who had strayed into the woods."

He purposely lengthened his explanation, that Dora might calm herself; he did not know how it was still throbbing her heart that he had called her "Dora." Her natively generous instinct demanded some thanks at least to be paid, but she could not speak it; she was shyly glad, yet angry with herself for being glad; and trembling so with the sudden nervous shock, she could not, for some minutes, speak again.

Mr. Horton stepped down to the water's edge, and seemed absorbed in looking at the fall, but his heart beat as wildly as hers; in that moment of danger he had discovered what deep hold Dora had taken of his life; he did not think of her unfitness to be his wife, of her scorn, her wild impulses, her quick temper. Like many another man in his case, he thought only of her beauty and sweetness, and felt that she must love him or he would be miserable. Blessed ordination of things! If men or women chose their mates as they do their shoes or their books, with deliberation and cool judgment, this dear, delightful, naughty, old world would come to an end; it is the wisdom of Providence that they never do.

It seemed an hour to both of these astonished people, yet it was barely five minutes before Dora looked up at Mr. Horton and said, "I don't know how to thank you. I can acknowledge now it is good to mind a man—sometimes." There was a soft arch look in the beautiful dark eyes that contradicted the quivering lips; but the lovely blushing face told what Dora never meant to tell. Mr. Horton knelt down on the grass beside her.

"Oh, Dora, I would not be a tyrant," he said; and Dora dropped her head so low it rested on his shoulder.

Mrs. Horton always declared her husband never asked her to marry him, which he indignantly denied as often as she asserted it; but however the union came about, it is true—for everybody said so—that no gentler sweeter, happier minister's wife ever filled that difficult position in the city of Ludlow, where Mr. Horton was settled; even Grace Hamilton could not find fault with this match, though she had predicted all sorts of sorrows from its "radical unfitness." But time had not softened Grace's native spite, though she controlled it during her brief visit at the parsonage. On the next Christmas morning a package came by express, directed to Mrs. Horton; on the inner cover of the thin box was written: "For Doll's room;" and as the last fold of tissue paper was lifted, an elaborately illuminated motto appeared:

"Come when you're called,
Do as you're bid,
Shut the door after you,
And you'll never be chid."

Her husband was looking over Dora's shoulder, and they both laughed. Grace's arrow was pointless for such trust and happiness.

"I've only changed my mind," said Dora, "and that is every woman's privilege."

"And I have only abdicated, and that any king can do," retorted her husband.

"Have you?" said his wife, incredulously.

The truth was that neither knew how to differ from the other with comfort.—*Harper's Bazar.*

BESIDE THE SEA.

BY EMMA MARIE CASS.

The waves leaped up and kissed the sands—
Aye! kissed her slender, jeweled hands,
And danced and gambolled at her feet,
Then backward fled, full soon, full fleet,
As close we stood beside the sea—
The merry, laughing sea.

The landward breeze blew clear, blew strong,
Above the fisher-lad's wild song—
The light-house lamp shone like a star
Beyond the heaving harbor-bar,
That long-lost eve beside the sea,
The dancing, wind-tossed sea.

Red roses fluttered in her hair,
Caressed her cheeks and forehead fair,
And one, more daring than the rest,
Found anchorage upon her breast,
That golden eve beside the sea,
The music-breathing sea.

We parted in the young moon's light,
I kissed her cheek and forehead white,
I kissed and clasped her o'er and o'er,
Nor cared for what fate held in store,
That summer eve beside the sea,
The mellow, moon-kissed sea.

AN UNKNOWN LAND IN THE SOUTH.

One of the results of the war now raging between Bolivia and Peru on the one hand, and Chili on the other, has been the cession by the latter of its claims to the territory of Patagonia in favor of the Argentine Republic. The territory covers an area of about three hundred and fifty thousand square miles, and forms, with the exception of a narrow strip on the Pacific coast, the southern extremity of South America, from latitude 38 degrees 42 minutes south.

For a great many years the sovereignty of Patagonia has been in dispute between the Argentine Republic and Chili. The former has taken advantage of the war in which the latter is involved to press a recognition of its claims. Rather than increase its international complications, Chili has considered it prudent to yield.

There is no part of South America concerning the condition and resources of which a greater diversity of opinion has prevailed than in the case of Patagonia. No part of South America has been so imperfectly explored. Those who have visited it on expeditions of scientific discovery have not penetrated far into the interior, and it is astonishing how they differ concerning what little they have seen. One traveller describes it as a barren waste, sparsely populated and having no agricultural or mineral resources. Another credits it with being clothed with wild flowers and nutritious grasses; teeming with wild animals; rich in coal, iron, copper and other minerals, and peopled by a race of giants. The secret of our ignorance concerning the territory is really due to the absence of commercial relations between it and other countries.

About fifteen years ago a Welsh colony was founded near the mouth of the river Chuput, which stream empties into the Atlantic Ocean about forty-four degrees south latitude. A contract was made by the colonists with the Argentine Republic for the land. Whenever the population reaches twenty-five thousand the colony is to take its place in the galaxy of states forming the Argentine Republic. The founders of the colony entertain the visionary idea, however, of converting it some time or other into a new and independent Welsh principality, governed by men of their own race and laws written in their own tongue. For that purpose the Welsh language only is spoken in the colony. Since the establishment of the colony it has dragged along a somewhat uncertain existence. But this has been due more particularly to the inexperience of the colonists than to the barrenness of the country's resources. According to the reports of these colonists, Patagonia resembles California in many respects, especially in the character of the seasons.

By the cession of Patagonia Chili does lose, nor does the Argentine Republic gain much. Whatever may be its resources, they are undeveloped, and in its present condition it adds nothing to nor takes anything from the available wealth or population of either.—*San Francisco Bulletin.*

THE BREAKFAST OF A LONDONER.—Among the most wonderful exhibitions of human energy and ingenuity the breakfast of a Londoner may well claim an important place. The tea he drinks comes from the far-off land of Cathay, or it may be from India or Assam; his coffee is the product of the strange Eastern port which, with its glittering white houses and straggling plains, is known as Mocha, on the shores of the Red Sea; for his sardines ships from the Mediterranean have been chartered; his bacon has been reared in Canada or the Western States of the great transatlantic republic; sugar such as he delights in has not long before waved in the tardy breezes of the Indias; his preserves are made perchance from the mango of Bombay or the pine of Ceylon, the banana of Jamaica or the fig of Smyrna; the currants that fill the cake he eats have been gathered on the shores of Greece; the beef which adorns the table has in all probability grazed in Holland or in the further pastures on the banks of Lake Ontario. To make up the trifling ensemble which he carelessly and thoughtlessly enjoys as a very minor meal almost every race, certainly each of the four continents, has been laid under tribute. Ships, trains and caravans have been set in motion, the soil tillers of the remotest earth corners have been invited to industry, numberless companies have been formed, countless people have been employed, and all in order that he may have set before him, as the days revolve, a pleasant and satisfactory morning repast.—*London Telegraph.*

A strange coincidence is that of Alfred T. Sanford, who was drowned in Onondaga Lake some weeks ago, had prepared his first sermon, his text being, "Son, remember," which he was to preach the next day, and the last words in the not quite completed discourse were as follows: "How does a drowning person remember? The water has gurgled in his ears as he leaves the surface. He feels that it is the last time. All his powers are strained in a lingering agony—a desire for life, a dread of the deep; and the agony seems to tear from the soul the fleshy bonds that bind it. It is the giant strength of despair, and the soul looks back with a vision like the ken of the immortals. A great picture is thrust upon him, perfect in its uttermost details. He gazes as he never gazed before. There it is, all his life, all his deeds and thoughts, and all at once. And then—the awfulness of it; the soul flutters for a moment; it trembles, then comes the end."

ODDS AND ENDS.

For rest, go to the forest.—*Boston Post.*

Riots in Cork ought to be light affairs.—*Lowell Courier.*

These Germans do mix things up. They refer to a man as herr.

Charley de Flukey has discovered why gospel tents attract so many sinners. They mistake them for circuses.—*Puck.*

Lampton thinks "the man who whitewashes ceilings is in the sublime business." This is a kiln-joke.—*Yonkers Statesman.*

Why are good resolutions like a squalling baby at church? Because they should always be carried out.—*Keokuk Constitution.*

Many a young man who sows his wild oats trusts to the grasshopper of forgetfulness to destroy the crop.—*Steubenville Herald.*

Upon the adjournment of Congress, Aleck Stephens, it is said, crawled into an envelope and franked himself home.—*Philadelphia Chronicle-Herald.*

Careful housewife (lifting a shoe from the soup tureen)—"La, who'd 'a thought baby's shoe would turn up in the soup? But I knew it wasn't lost. I never lose anything."

The Cleveland *Herald* advises Christians to hire a steamboat, give a Sunday excursion, and then suddenly open religious services on the crowd of loafers. They must either listen or jump overboard.

Kankakee has a justice who beats them all in the way of doing up a job of matrimonial splicing with neatness and dispatch. This is his formula: "Have 'er?" "Yes." "Have 'im?" "Yes." "Married; $2."

A woman raised to the third power of widowhood has the photographs of her three departed lords in a group, with a vignette of herself in the centre, and underneath is the inscription, "The Lord will provide."

In the electric light Niagara has secured a trump card, and one that will continue to be played as long as there is any game in it. The sight of the cascade bathed in Edison brilliancy is something long to be remembered.

The sporting season has arrived when the amateur hunter goes into the forest and shoots the farmer's $10 cow under the impression that it is a deer, and afterward pays the farmer $25 dollars to settle the matter and keep it quiet.—*Boston Post.*

An original thinker never thinks the things that other people think.—*New Orleans Picayune.* But when one thinks that another is thinking things that no other could think and he thinks he will try to outdo him by thinking greater thinks than he thinks the other is thinking, we think he is about as foolish as we are for thinking of this thing at all.—*Boston Advertiser.*

A NATURAL SOAP MINE.—On Smith's Creek, Elko county, Nevada, there is a most remarkable stratum of steatite resting horizontally in a steep bluff of volcanic matter which flanks the eastern side of Smith's Creek valley. The stratum of steatite is from three to ten feet in diameter. It is easily worked and is a veritable soap mine. In fact, the farmers, cattle men, and sheep herders in that region all use the natural article for washing purposes. Chemically considered this peculiar clay is a hydrated silicate of alumina, magnesia, potash, and lime. When the steatite is first dug from the stratum it looks precisely like immense masses of mottled Castile soap, the mottling element being a small percentage of iron oxide. The Virginia (*Chronicle*) says that a firm in Elko have undertaken to introduce this natural soap into the market. It is similar in appearance to the Castile soap sold in large bars. Nothing is added to the mineral but a trifle more alkali and some scenting extracts. Its detersive qualities are as powerful as those of any manufactured soap.

"Gem'len," began President Gardner of the Limekiln Club, as he gave his nose a last wipe with a red cotton handkerchief, "I hole h'ar in my han' a petishun from Mary Jane Bascomb of Chicago axing dis club to use its infloonce to suppress extravagance among the cull'd people of the land. I hez bin givin dis subject much thought ob late, an' I find dat de last few y'ars hez developed sich streaks of extravagance 'mong black folks dat it am high time some ackshun was taken by an organizashun like dis club. A few y'ars ago de average cull'd woman war satisfied wid calico dresses an' articles to match, but now whar am she? Why, gem'len, right in sight ob my ole cabin am no less'n a dozen black women who walk out in their bombazine dresses trailing 'way back, ten-shillin' parasols lifted on high, an' hats on deir heads which never cost less'n twenty shillin's! An' dis, too, when deir husbands am skeercely airnin' a dollar a day. I h'ar of fam'lies buyin' ice cream on Sunday, strawberries ebery day frew de week, an' talkin' 'bout rentin' a box in de pos'offis. I see cull'd men sportin' blue neckties costing fifty cents, an' actually puttin' on kid gloves Sunday mornin'! I know of cull'd families in dis town which hev cane-seat cha'rs in de parlor—yes, gem'len, right in the parlor, an' like a'nuff a stuffed cha'r 'long wid 'em. De clean, white floor am kivered wid a ca'pet—yes, wid a ca'pet, an' on de walls am chromeoes refulgent wid gorgeousness! What did our gran' fadders an' our 4 fadders do? Did n't dey live an' grow fat an' die honest folks an' nebber have any such richness? I tell you dat we am livin' too fast. We hez got to hole back. When an honest, hard-workin' cull'd man mus' hev a stuffed cha'r to sit down on, a walnut table to eat his meals on, an' reglar hinges to de front gait, same as he rich white folks, den you look out to see crime increase an' de measles go whoopin' frew de kentry!"—*Detroit Free Press.*

BRITISH JURYMEN AND WOMEN'S WRONGS.—There is a subject on which the English juryman habitually lets out his prejudice with the result of increasing crime. It is on a breach of promise of marriage. Having a parcel of poor daughters whom he ardently desires to see married, the British juryman gives with gushing heart thumping damages to any weeping woman who can inveigle a man into anything like attentions. I know of a young lady who, though not of family, is closely connected with a great and noble family, who has twice obtained a verdict and a lump of money for breach of promise and failed once. It is with her a regular business to have her heart broken and her prospects blasted. In vain has it been clearly proved that the majority of these "breach" cases are simply gull-traps; in vain does the better sense of the more educated and experienced class call out for the abolishment of such trials; in vain are green young curates of twenty-one taken in by hackneyed adventuresses almost old enough to be their mothers, and such a case occurred recently. Still the British juryman continues to give exemplary damages to the "fair plaintiff" and utter unexemplary damns at the defendant. He is, alas! most unlike the juryman recorded in the old Flemish song, who when asked by a clever Portia what he would do if tempted, answered like a man, that he would yield:

LADY LAWYER.

And thus she to the jury spake:
"Oh, will ye list to me?
What would you do if a fair lady
Should choose you her love to be?"

FOREMAN.

"What would I do if a fair lady
Should yield to me her charms?
I would kiss her, I ween, a thousand times,
And fold her in my arms."

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—Like the effort which unfortunately was too successful in one borough, attempts have been made to reduce the salaries of the school teachers in Cleveland, Ohio. The *Herald* of that city was requested to publish communications asking for the reduction of the salaries of the female teachers in the city schools. The editor declines with hearty emphasis, reciting the long and exacting labors of the teachers and pitying them in that they do not earn enough to make old age comfortable, or to save them from painful anxiety in illness. "The salaries paid our female teachers," says this manly writer, "are none too high. They earn all they get. They wear away their lives at a task that is endless, a work that is never completed—one in which they neither ask nor expect gratitude or even thankfulness. When exhausted by labor, broken down, perhaps in the prime of life, with nervous prostration or disease growing out of close school-rooms, bad ventilation and want of exercise, they are made promptly to retire for their successors, without a pension or the means to live, with youth wasted and the power to charm gone beyond recovery. We honor this class of the community, as we honor all brave, heroic and resolute souls. When we use our influence to belittle their great services and labors, or take from them their hard-earned wages, it will be when we hold our manhood cheap, and have forgotten some of our weightiest obligations."

—In another place in our paper will be found a letter by Hon. Alex. H. Stephens, in which he makes a very frank confession of his political belief. He says that he never doubted, and does not now doubt, the right of secession, but only the policy of secession. That is, when the secession of any of the States from the Union, becomes, in his opinion, good policy, they have the right to secede. This necessarily includes another thing, viz: that if an attempt at secession is made, the Government has no right to oppose it. Mr. Stephens has been considered the most sensible and conservative of unreconstructed rebels, and when he utters such sentiments as are contained in his letter, what are we to expect from rabid Southerners like Lamar, Blackburn, and Chalmers? Evidently the Southern people are not yet cured of their State sovereignty folly. Neither have the Northern people forgotten the principles for which a terrible war was waged. The approaching elections will convince our Democratic friends of this fact.

—A locomotive capable of drawing one hundred loaded cars, will leave Philadelphia for Australia on the first of October. Heretofore English manufacturers have had an exclusive control of the locomotive trade in the colonies of Great Britain, but at the Centennial exhibition one of the Australian Commissionhers was deeply impressed with the merits of American engines, and through him a Philadelphia firm secured permission to send out a locomotive with the promise that it would be allowed to run on its own merits. One of the freight engines is believed to be the largest engine ever built.—It weighs, exclusive of tender, 192,000 lbs., and has drawn 160 empty cars making a train one mile long, and is warranted to draw from 90 to 100 freight cars when loaded.

—Jenule June in describing a photograph of Mrs. Langtry, the famous London beauty, says she is slight, delicate, and rather shrinking in face and figure, very quietly and very modestly dressed (in walking dress) and does not in the least suggest the vulgar woman, overwhelmed with conceit and vanity, which Mr. G. W. Smalley, the London correspondent of the New York *Tribune*, recently described. In fact, a friend, recently returned from London, and who met Mrs. Langtry more than once in the very best houses, says that these intimations do her great injustice. Mrs. Langtry, she asserts, has been forced into a notoriety extremely painful to her.

—Two anecdotes of the late Prince Louis Napoleon: One day he showed M. Dumont a scar on his hip, which he said he had received at the age of fourteen. "One day at the Tuileries Espinasse and I quarrelled. It was a serious affair, and I said, 'This must not end here; it must be washed out in blood.' We shut ourselves up in our room, drew our swords, and this (pointing to the wound) is how the duel terminated." On another occasion M. Dumont asked for a lock of hair which one of the Prince's female admirers had begged him to obtain for her. "Is she pretty?" "Yes." "Young?" "Sixty." "Then she shall have it."

—Maxey Gordon, employed on a truck farm near Norfolk, Va., disappeared last Sunday night, and search for him was begun on Wednesday. On Thursday morning, a party of the searchers discovered a newly made grave in the marsh, with marks on the ground indicating that a body had been dragged over the surface. Upon removing the earth, the murdered body of Gordon was found. Gordon's wife and a colored man named Whitehurst, have been arrested on suspicion. Blood spots where found on Whitehurst's clothing.

—Mrs. Irene Holtse, who shot and killed her husband, Orson Alonzo Moore House, a lawyer, near Trenton, June 30, 1876, has become sane, and was recently married for the fourth time. Her present spouse is Frank Parker, a young hanger of wall papers. He is twenty-three and she is thirty-five years old. He is a plucky man and will be a fortunate one if not finding all his diamonds to be *paste*.

—When they retired, Dr. Falk, the Minister of Education, and Dr. Friedenthal, the Minister of Agriculture, were offered by the Emperor William patents of nobility with retention of the title of Minister. Dr. Falk accepted the distinction for his son; Dr. Friedenthal declined it altogether.

AUGUST MAGAZINES.

Atlantic Monthly.

The article on "Preaching," which begins the August *Atlantic*, is apparently written by a preacher. It is a perfectly correct and sensible protest against some common vices of pulpit eloquence—Talmage's for one, though the writer does not name Talmage nor indeed descend to the Talmage tendency. Neither does it neglect the somniferous preacher, and there is a good deal of considerate talk about the modern modifications of the pastoral relation. Two years of President Hayes," by Walter Allen, is a dispassionate review of the present administrations thus far, calm in tone, but earnest in spirit, showing the chief points of advantage gained by the Executive since the commencement of his official career, and concluding, as a short extract given in the GAZETTE last week shows, that Mr. Hayes is a man striving to perform well an onerous duty, not courting the immediate applause so much as the ultimate justice of his countrymen, and whose administration will hereafter be referred to with honor and gratitude by the people as the beginning of the Republic's better days. The sketch of the political career and personal character of Prince Gortschakoff, under the title of "Un Homme Capable," by Azel C. G. Gustafson, is an able and instructive paper. Mrs. L. M. Child furnishes a discriminating portraiture of the late Mr. Garrison. Mr. Grant White has a charming paper on "Rural England," describing his excursions among the country folk with his usual freshness of expression. "The Future of Invention," "An Experiment in Play Writing," "The Negro Exodus," are among the other interesting articles in this number, and for poetry, Oliver Wendell Holmes contributes his admirable anniversary poem delivered at the last Harvard Commencement Dinner. "Petite Marie and Benezet," by H. H., is a striking specimen of historical narrative verse, and there is a pathetic idyl, entitled "The Inland Country," by Christine Chaplin Brush.

Scribner's Monthly.

The August number is an uncommonly satisfactory one, especially fit, by reason of the variety and entertaining character of its contents, to tempt the reader at a season when one needs to be tempted to anything like exertion. Mr. Whistler furnishes a particularly good theme for the first paper in the number, which is enriched by examples of Mr. Whistler's work, both as painter and etcher, and he is also made the subject of a number of anecdotes in one of the editorial departments. Mr. W. H. Bishop contributes an interesting illustrated paper concerning the narrowest of the narrow-gauge railroads, the Festiniog Railroad in Wales. The second of the papers on Summer Etymology deals with all manner of curious flying things of the insect tribe. Mr. R. H. Stoddard writes a fine biographical and critical sketch of Mr. Whittier, by a Cole-Eaton portrait as frontispiece to the number. "A Peep in Antwerp and Holland," "The Cook of the Confederate Army," and the instalment of Mrs. Burnett's fine story, "Haworth's," are the other illustrated articles. The most noteworthy of the articles not illustrated are the first chapters of a story by Mr. Henry James, Jr., a humorous character sketch by Mr. Frank R. Stockton, called "Our Archery Club," "Lincoln's Imagination," by Mr Noah Brooks, and "Out of the World," a sketch of Shaker life by Mr. Charles Dudley Warner. Dr. Holland has a long ballad, Mrs. Mary Mapes Dodge an excellent piece of poetry called "Shadow Evidence," and there are two other poems, stories, &c., in the usual abundance, while the editorial department, called "Bric-a-Brac," is unusually rich in humorous matter.

Lippincott's Magazine.

Lippincott's Magazine for August is a capital Summer number. It opens with a paper, the first of two, on "Catskill and the Catskill Region," which will be likely to swell the stream of travel in the direction of that beautiful mountain country, the article evincing a perfect knowledge and keen appreciation of its peculiar beauties, while the illustrations are of first-rate excellence. Dr. Oswald continues his admirable "Summerland Sketches," which are so finely illustrated. A paper entitled "Guignol" describes the marionettes of the Champs Elysees, and other public gardens of Paris. The "Reminiscences of Bayard Taylor," by Prof. Boyesen, give a vivid characterization of Taylor's manners and conversation. Edward King writes of the two famous journalists recently deceased—Etienne and Villemessant. Miss Porter concludes her graphic sketches of village life in the South, and an anonymous writer contributes a powerful and suggestive article on "Women's Mistakes about Work." The fiction is unusually full and entertaining. The "Gossip" is bright and varied, and among its reviews are some good notices of recent art publications.

Sunday Afternoon

For August is a hot-weather number, the articles being mostly brief and the stories numerous. The "Phenomena of Inspiration" leads to the conclusion that the truly great men of all times are as really inspired as were the prophets of old. The "Problem of Intemperance" claims that inebriates need physiological cure as much as moral and social treatment, and that the too abundant meat diet of Americans promotes intemperance. Prof. Borden P. Bowne writes on the "As-If" of Atheism. There are also contributions by Rose Terry Cooke, Susan Coolidge, Mrs. Edward Ashley Walker, and several others. The poems are many and seasonable. Elaine and Dora Goodale and their mother, Mrs. D. H. R. Goodale, have each one. Another young poet, Kate St. Clair Greenleaf, of Kentucky, has a little poem of which the Poet Whittier expressed his opinion:—"It seems to have much sweetness and rhythmical beauty." The editor's table has these articles: Rebels and Reprobates, Colleges and Public Morals, Studying Scripture by Samples. The name of the magazine will be changed with an early issue.

St. Nicholas.

The frontispiece to *St. Nicholas* for August is a striking figure-picture, "The Kaiserblumen," by Friderick Dielman, to which Celia Thaxter has written a poem judiciously not above the comprehension of children and capable of pleasing adults. *St. Nicholas* is crowded with engravings as usual, and a considerable number of good and popular authors have written for it. There are two serial tales, respectively by Frank R. Stockton and Susan Coolidge, and next in merit are "The Aquarium at Brighton," by Emma D. Southwick; "The Game of Lawn Tennis," by W. H. Boardman; "Hercules Jack," by E. L. Bynner; "The Child-Life of Goethe," Mary Lockwood, and "Nan, the Newsboy," by W. H. Bishop. In fact every line in this magazine will safely attract its youthful readers.

Popular Science Monthly.

The most striking of the origical articles in the *Popular Science Monthly* for August is Dr. McCosh's learned and acute paper on the agnosticism of Huxley, the purport of which is to show that the contest which is falsely described as a contest not between physics and metaphysics, but between true and false metaphysics. The selected articles are very well selected and include the second of Sir Henry Thompson's paper on Food and Feeding, Mr. Galton's very curious and interesting article on "Generic Images" and Dr. Richardson's "Chloral and other Narcotics."

THE COMING AGRICULTURAL EXHIBITION.

To the Agriculturists, Manufacturers, and other Producers of Eastern Pennsylvania and the States adjacent.

The Fair of the Pennsylvania State Agricultural Society, to be held this year in the Main Building, Centennial grounds, Fairmount Park, promises to be second in importance only to the World's Fair of 1876.—Opened, as it will be, on September 8th next, in connection with the magnificent display of the Permanent Exhibition Company now in the building, the joint attraction will again crowd the structure and grounds with an immense concourse of visiters. That every branch of American Art and Industry, in its latest and most perfect development, should be fully represented, is the dictate alike of business-interest and patriotic pride.

The Dairy Industry, with its herds of thoroughbred cattle and its lately introduced processes and machinery for cheese and butter making; the Wool industry, with its improved breeds of sheep, as well as Silk Cotton and Flax industries, with the products of the loom; the finest breeds of swine and poultry, and the results of fish-culture.

The State Society offers $9000 in prizes for live-stock alone. A ring for the exercise and display of horses and cattle will be provided, but all racing will be prohibited. Liberal premiums are also offered for manufactured goods; heating, lighting, ventilating, and cooking apparatus; tools, implements and machinery, and the products of the fine arts.

The Turkish, Tunisian, and Scandinavian courts, in the east nave, have been allotted to fruits and flowers, and the product of the vineyard, orchard, garden, and conservatory have never had more elegant accommodations provided for them. Horses and cattle will be assigned to quarters within the Main Building.

The best of its kind in all the above classes of objects should be placed in competition.

Since 1857 the Fairs of the State Society have been held in the interior. The selection of Philadelphia for the purpose is a matter of general congratulation, and in order that the full benefit of the Fair may accrue to the agriculture and the arts of this region, the Philadelphia Society for Promoting Agriculture, which has already tendered the services of its members and the use of its room, cordially invites the co-operation of every farmer and citizen.

Premiums Lists may be obtained of any of the undersigned, or at the office of the Exhibition, Northwest corner Tenth and Chestnut streets.

A. L. Elwyn, Chairman, 1412 Walnut street; John S. Haines, Germantown; George Blight, 1500 Pine street; L. Henry Twaddell, Baltimore avenue and 45th street; Alfred L. Kennedy, Polytechnic College; Burnet Landreth, Bristol; C. L. Sharpless, Northwest corner 8th and Chestnut streets; Archibald R. Montgomery, Bryn-Mawr, Local Committee of the Philadelphia Society for Promoting Agriculture.

☞We have long wanted a safe and reliable remedy for the cure of Chills and Fever. Quinine will cure it, but it disturbs the head and the fever returns. Now we see that Messrs. Wheelock, Finlay & Co. publish the composition of their Dr. F. Wilhoft's Anti-Periodic or Fever and Ague Tonic which is guaranteed a specific for the cure of Chills and Fever, Dumb Chills and all other diseases produced by malaria. Try it. It can be found in every Drug store.

—James C. Robertson, teacher in the Industrial School in San Francisco, who was attacked by a gang of boys on Sunday week, and struck on the head with a heavy bar by one of them, named George Bergin, died on the Wednesday following in that institution while punishing one of the inmates.

☞EVERY INVALID A DRUGGIST.—By buying the new and popular medicine Kidney-Wort, you get in each package enough of the dry compound to make six quarts of medicine, thus saving double the money which is usually paid for medicine prepared in liquid. It is a specific cure for Kidney and Liver diseases.

—A grand temperance movement has lately been started in England. A company has been organized, with a capital of £1,000,000, for the purpose of establishing cheap coffee houses throughout the city of London and other large towns, to take the place of the liquor shops. The prospect of success is very promising.

—Cetewayo knows the moral effect that a distant body of troops may exercise in a battle. At Kambula the seeming reserve of Zulu warriors that crowned the heights was composed of women, like the Scottish reserve which at a critical stage of the battle of Bannockburn "bore down on England's wearied war."

☞Butter in July and August is always much lighter in color than in June, but the best dairymen everywhere keep the even standard of color throughout the year by using Wells, Richardson & Co's Perfected Butter Color. It is pure and harmless as salt and gives the rich golden color of the dandelion blossom. Druggists sell it.

—The Atlanta, Ga., ice factory of Senator Jones of Nevada produces eighty-six thousand five hundred pounds of ice a day. They ought to keep cool down there, and ice ought to be cheap.

☞Always keep Pursell's Cholerine Mixture on hand, in case of a sudden attack of Colic.

—Gen. Butler still wants to be Governor.

MR. STEPHENS AND Ssecession.

LIBERTY HALL, }
CRAWFORDVILLE, Ga., July, 22 1879. }

Editor Louisville Democrat.

MY DEAR SIR: Your letter of the 10th inst. was received this morning. I have not seen the editorial in the New York *World* to which you refer. One can hardly infer or judge the true character of an editorial of much length from so short an extract as that you sent me from the columns of *The World*.

All I can say to you at this time is: I have not "lived to repudiate, abhor or condemn," any political principles advocated by me. I never did espouse or advocate the policy of State secesion from the Union. The right of secession I never questioned and have defended with all the power I could command, but my judgment was very decided against its policy. My mind on these subjects has undergone no change and is not likely to undergo any.

If any person wishes to know what I think was decided by the "war between the States," I can only refer such inquirer to the last chapter of the second volume of my work upon that subject. I have no time to say more. Very respectfully,

ALEXANDER H. STEPHENS.

—The Postmaster at Logansport, (Ind.,) has been arraigned by the Presbyterian Church to which belongs, because he keeps the Post Office open an hour on Sunday morning to accommodate the public.

☞Dr. C. P. ROSE: *Dear Sir.*—A severe attack of Cholera Morbus was effectually cured by using your Carminative Balsam, and I have no hesitation in pronouncing it the best remedy I have ever taken.

A. K. HOFF, Bristol, Pa.

—A negro at Dallas, (Texas,) believing that God demanded the sacrifice of his family, gave poison to his wife and three children, but an irreligious physician interfered and saved their lives.

☞The largest and best assortment of Wall papers, New York and Philadelphia styles, in Bristol, also a choice selection of window shades. Window shades made and hung from 75 cents to $1.50. W. GRACE, Cedar Street, between Walnut and Franklin Streets, Bristol, Pa.

—Gov. Allen once told a friend that the hardest duty he had to perform, as Governor of Ohio, was to say "No" to women and children who appealed to him to exercise the pardoning power.

☞Pitchers for 25 cents, sold elsewhere for 50 cents, at the new crockery store corner of Wood and Pegn streets.

—In a thunder storm in France, a few days ago, a farmer and ten of his cows, one of which he was milking, were all killed by a single stroke of lightning.

☞Farmers, go to Bristol Machine Works for repairs of all kinds of farming machinery.

—A party of Lancashire (Eng.) farmers are about to sell out their property and emigrate to Manitoba. They cannot withstand American competition.

☞The Bristol Machine Works of E. L. & H. B. Banes have the agency of all kinds of farming implements.

—Jarolimek maintains that steel can be hardened not only by immersion in boiling water, but even in boiling oil, melting lead, and melting zinc.

—Mrs. Annie Besant has just passed the matriculation examination at London University, at which she intends to graduate in science. The lady was coached by Dr. E. B. Aveling and Mr. J. H. Levy.

—Arthur Sullivan, not the author of "Pinafore," arrived at Boston from Liverpool on Sunday.

☞Strictly pure spices and flavoring extracts, at Peter's Drug Store.

—A telephone is working successfully between Petersburg, (Va.,) and Wilmington, (N. C.,) a distance of 226 miles.

☞Genuine imported Castile soap, at Peter's Drug Store.

MARK TWAIN IN PARIS.

[*Letter of Mrs. Lucy Hooper.*]

Mark Twain called to see me yesterday and to say good bye. He left with his family this morning for Holland and London en route for home. He looks exceedingly well, has finished his book, and was as solemnly humorous and languidly delightful as ever. I was very sorry to say good-by to our gentle, genial, unspoiled humorist, but hope that it is but *au revoir*, for whoever has once trodden in the asphalte of Paris needs no draught from any especial fount within her walls, like the fountain of Trevi at Rome, to lure the wandering footsteps thither again. As he was about to depart I discovered that the wind and rain had loosened the silk from two of the ribs of his umbrella and insisted on putting them to rights for him. "Thank you," he said, in his drawling, melancholy accents, as he took from my hand and sidled out of the door "those two bare legs of my umbrella quite distressed me as I was coming up the street they seemed to want pantalettes so badly, and, in fact, I didn't think they looked decent!" So the natural pang of parting was dissolved in a shriek of laughter. I should think that if Mark Twain had taken to the stage he would have made a fortune as a comedian. The settled sadness of his aspect makes everything absurd that he says irresistibly funny. He had a great success as a lecturer in England, I am told. An American gentleman who was present at one of the lectures that he delivered in London says that there was one point about his manner of delivery that was very amusing. He stood on the very edge of the platform and, in fact, with at least one half of his feet projecting over the edge. Thus insecurely perched he would, at certain points of the discourse, sway slowly forward till three-fourths of his audience were convinced that he was about to fall, and were waiting round-eyed, open-mouthed and breathless, for the catastrophe, when he would bend his body suddenly backwards and a deep drawn Ah! would testify to the relief of the spectators. This process he repeated some two or three times and always with the same result. I am told this habit is not a trick, but arises out of his constitutional restlessness, which rendered it almost an impossibility for a long time for him to stand still when on the lecture platform, and which still makes the formality of a long dinner party a very trying ceremonial to him. Well, he has left us now, leaving behind him a store of pleasant memories that will make his books all the more delightful to us. And long may he live to waken the laughter of the world! Reversing the remark made by Dr. Johnson respecting the death of Garrick, we can say that his life has increased "the harmless gayety of the nations."

A CAT'S CHICKENS.

Mrs. Thomas Leonard, wife of a bricklayer living in South Brooklyn, has a very maternal cat and a very simple-minded brood of chickens. The chickens were left motherless before they had cracked the shell by the cruel desertion of the hen to whose care the eggs had been consigned. The cat immediately took possession of the nest, hatched out the chickens and is now educating them according to her lights. Mrs. Leonard, who is very proud of the queer family, said to a *New York World* reporter on Sunday:

"I put six eggs under my old hen and she took care of them until about three days before the chickens were expected to come out. One evening I noticed that she was not acting like a setting hen and I went to the nest in the barrel, thinking that my eggs would be spoiled. The barrel was lying on its side with the mouth towards the fence and only far enough from it to allow the hen to pass in and out. I put my hand into the barrel and was surprised and scared to feel a soft, warm fur. Then I heard a cat mew and I called 'Tibbie.' The cat mewed again and I found it was my own. I tried to coax her out but she wouldn't come. She was lying with the eggs gathered under her and I concluded to let her stay there. She stuck to the nest for three days, coming out occasionally to get something to eat and scampering back as soon as she had satisfied her appetite. A week ago last Sunday morning I went into the yard and heard the 'peep' of some chickens. I looked into the barrel and there saw five chickens which the cat was licking. The sixth shell was broken but the chicken had not come out. I ran in and told Tom—that's my husband—of my discovery, but he laughed at me and said I was trying to fool him into getting up early on a Sunday morning. That evening the cat brought five chickens up into the kitchen. The sixth had died. I carried the barrel in and put it in the front room and they took possession of it and seemed comfortable. But within a day or two so many people came to see them that Tibbie got uneasy and carried off her family. She hid them under an old closet down stairs, where I found them. I brought them up again and put them in this big cage in an out-of-the-way corner and there you can see how contented they are.

Tibbie was lying curled up on a feather pillow in the cage with her foster family around her. Two of them were straddled over her back and two more were nestled between her legs. The fifth was absent, having been purchased by a lady of Brooklyn Heights. Mrs. Leonard took the chicks in her hand and carried them into the back room. The cat lay perfectly quiet until she heard their cries of distress; then she ran out of the cage, bounded over the board which Mrs. Leonard had placed across the foot of the doorway to confine the chicks to the limits of the front room, and hurried out. She mewed gently and the chickens ran to her. Putting her paw under one she seized it with her mouth and carrried it gently to the nest. When she reached the board at the door she did not jump over hastily as a commonplace cat would, but rose on her hind legs with maternal gentleness, placed her fore paws on the top and with a swift but easy motion slid to the floor on the other side without jarring the chicken. She laid it in the nest and repeated the operation until all four were brought back, when she lay down beside them contended.

Tibbie is about eighteen months old and is a real tortoise-shell.

—CURIOUS FACTS ABOUT ANTS.—Mr. E. Gittins, of Tivoli, Queensland, in a letter to the editor of the *Journal of Science*, communicates some interesting facts concerning ants. He writes:—"If meat shows the least possible tendency to decompose—and it will do so in the course of twelve hours in summer—the ants will find it, though suspended by a wire or string from the house-top or the top of a tent. The ant perceived decomposing animal matter at a long distance, and does not go exploring for such matter, but goes straight to it from the ant-hill. A snake killed in the bush is generally placed on the branch of a tree, so as to be seen by travellers, and as soon as decomposition sets in the ants find it, and the flesh is soon carried off to the ant-hill; even their own comrades, when killed, are carried off to the underground cells. They never stay to feed, but they take up the booty and off they go." The writer then describes a number of experiments, showing that portions of meat placed near ant-roads were overlooked till putrefaction set in, and were then eagerly carried off. He remarks that "ants that feed on saccharine matter are as difficult to keep off as the carrion-feeders; they smell the sugar, and endeavor to get at it wherever it may be placed. The largest kind of sugar-ants will feed until the cold air of night comes on, and then fall into a stupor and there remain during the day." We should feel much obliged, says the editor, if our correspondent would determine the two following points: Whether his meat ants prefer tainted meat to fresh when both are placed equally near, as, *e. g.*, close to one of their roads; and whether they will attack animal matter in an advanced stage of decomposition? It certainly seems that they occupy a more prominent place among "nature's scavengers" than has been supposed.

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Bristol Borough, July 16, 1879.

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Bucks County Gazette.

Thursday, July 31, 1879.

BRISTOL POST OFFICE.

Arrival and Departure of Mails.

PHILADELPHIA—Arrives 7 00 and 8 30 A M, and 3 15, 5 00 and 7 30 P M Closes 6 25 and 10 15 A M, 2 30 and 6 30 P M

NEW YORK—Arrives 7 00 and 11 15 A. M., 7.35 P M Closes 8 00 and 11 00 A M and 2 00 and 6 00 P M Way Mails close 7 00 A M, and 2 00 and 4 00 P M

WEST END—Arrives 10 00 A M

BELVIDERE, DUNCANNON, PENN VALLEY AND MORRISVILLE—Arrives 4 00 P M Closes 8 00 A M

TRENTON—Arrive 10 00 A M and 7 30 P M, Closes 8 00 A M, and 2 00 and 4 00 P M

DOYLESTOWN—Arrives 11 15 A M Closes 11 45 A M

OXFORD VALLEY, LANSINGTON AND LANGHORNE—Arrives 10 00 A M Closes 11 00 A M

Mails for the West and South go by every Philadelphia mail W B BAKER, P M

SORTS.

—Albert Hooding lost a valuable horse on Tuesday night

—The salaries of New Hope teachers have been reduced five per cent

—Edward Baker has twelve acres of tobacco planted on the old Badger Farm in Bristol township

—The Methodist churches of Burlington will go on an excursion to Ocean Grove and Asbury Park, next Thursday.

—Messrs Bailey and York have received the contract for putting inside blinds to the windows of the Wood street School house.

—Mr William A Laverty, who needs no introduction to Bristol people, will deliver a temperance lecture at the Grove next Sunday week.

—The rod and the weather vane on the Town House, will probably have to be taken down as the cost of straightening it will be more than it is worth

—The "Republic" did not go down to the sea shore on Sunday. The paddles of one of her wheels got out of order, and she was taken to Wilmington for repairs.

—Patrick McGee, of Tullicum, a prominent Democratic politician, and last fall a conspicuous candidate for the State Senatorial nomination, died on the 24th inst

—Last week S Headly King, of Bristol township, fell from his hay mow, a distance of nearly twenty feet, and injured himself quite seriously. It is not thought, however, that he is dangerously hurt

—The Eagle Fire Company of New Hope will have their annual picnic at Beaumont Deer Park to day A number of the members of Fire Company No 1 have gone on the picnic, among the number, A H Jones, Esq, President of the Company

—Charles Crosson, of Emilie, was recently run over by a loaded wagon. The vehicle passed over the side of his face, breaking the jawbone in two places His case is very critical, although one of the physicians thinks he may recover

—Three young lads from Newark passed through Bristol on Tuesday morning, enroute for Philadelphia to hunt work They went as far as Schenk's station, where they became discouraged, and in the afternoon reached here on their way home to Newark

—Our usually steady going town clock has been behaving in a highly eccentric manner for several days past, and some of our early rising citizens have discovered that, according to the borough time piece, sunrise occurs at one o clock in the morning

—The Edwin Forrest, on Tuesday, got aground on a bar in the neighborhood of Trenton, and in the herculean efforts made to get the steamer afloat, some of the machinery broke, and the assistance of a tug had to be secured to tow the crippled boat down the river.

—The excursion of the Knights of Pythias to Rockaway Beach and Coney Island, occurs next Monday If the day is pleasant a large crowd will go from Bristol The managers have made every arrangement possible for the comfort and accommodation of the excursionists

—Henry Robinson Thomas Hughes' hired man, discovered some men prowling around the place on Monday morning about three o clock He asked them what they wanted, but instead of replying they started and ran. The shots he fired at them no doubt scared them very badly, but unfortunately did not maim any of the marauders.

—The excursion of the Baptist and Methodist churches to Ocean Grove, last Thursday, was a very pleasant one to all concerned About one hundred and fifty people went from Bristol. The train made excellent time both going and coming, and everybody seemed very well satisfied with their trip, except that they wished it could have lasted longer

—John R Stackhouse has been appointed Justice of the Peace for Bristol township, in place of Jesse L. Stackhouse, deceased. The appointment was made by Gov Hoyt Mr Stackhouse will hold the office until the Feburary election, when his successor will be elected by the people. It is very probable that he will be his own successor, unless he wishes it otherwise.

—Arrangements are about being perfected for an excursion from Bristol to Jersey City, via the Pennsylvania Railroad, thence by the well known steamer Richard Stockton, up the Hudson river, to Newburgh and return. This is certainly one of the finest excursions of the season, and one which the people of Bristol and vicinity should not be slow to patronize, as it will be full of pleasure and profit to all participating in it.

—List of letters remaining in the Bristol Post Office, Wednesday July 30th, 1879 — Mrs Anna E Bond, Lizzie Bond, Isaac DeForrest, Maggie Dugan, Pine street, Sophia Douglass, John Dugan, James Edgar, Wm Gallagher, Mrs Maria Johnson, Louis Hunz, Archibald Marris, Mrs James Mulherin, Ida Rixman, Wm. Sharkey, Steward Sherry, Mr David Spencer and Howard Worrell

—On the 9th of August next, a musical and elocutionary entertainment is to be given at the Solebury Deer Park The best talent, in these two lines, in Bucks county and Lambertville will be represented Seddon's orchestra will be in attendance, besides which the music will consist of solos, quartettes, and choruses Declamations will be given by many of the noted elocutionists of the county. The exercises will commence at 10 o'clock A M. and will be continued with the exception of a recess at noon, during the day. A dance in the evening will to the young people, be an additional item of interest.

Official Truth for the Incredulous.

There is no occasion for further proof that the reply in our last week's issue, to the inquiry of Citizen is correct, but to satisfy Mr Hoguet and his friends, beyond any doubt, of the accuracy of the GAZETTE'S statements we refer to the official record of the proceedings of Council The minutes of the meeting held June 9th, contains the following in reference to the matter

"C W. Peirce presented the following

WHEREAS Mr L A Hoguet has, in disregard of the well established principle of parliamentary courtesy arraigned this body, of which he is a member, through the medium of the columns of the *Bristol Weekly Times*, a public journal, and has through said medium preferred a charge of a criminal character against this said body in their official and corporate capacity, therefore, it is hereby

Resolved, That the said L A Hoguet is deemed guilty of contempt of Council, that the censure of the body is hereby passed upon him, until he shall make an ample apology in the paper wherein his offensive communication appeared

Mr L A Hoguet stated who he meant by the term "clique" mentioning among others Charles W Peirce and Chas E Scheide, members of the present Council

J W Wright offered the following as an *amendment* to the resolution presented by C W Peirce

WHEREAS, C W Peirce and C E Scheide have been charged with corruptly or improperly influencing Council in their own benefit, therefore it is hereby

Resolved, That a committee of investigation be appointed to take such evidence as they can give to establish the truth or falsity of such a charge and report to this body

Upon motion *the resolution and amendment* were adopted, and the Burgess appointed Messrs J W Wright, C H Fenton and W. H Booz, committee"

This is sufficiently strong evidence, but Council still further placed itself on record in the matter At the last meeting of Council the minutes of the previous meeting—June 9th, were read, and with the exception of a clerical error, which, on motion, was corrected, they, (including of course, the extract printed above) were approved There was no dissenting voice to the adoption of either the resolution of censure or Mr Wright's amendment

If any Councilmen were opposed to the resolution of censure they are placed in a very awkward position They either were so negligent in regard to what was before the meeting that they did not know what was being voted upon, or were so obtuse that, while objecting to the resolution of censure, they permitted Mr Hoguet to be censured without any attempt on their part to prevent it, and when the minutes were read stating that upon motion the resolution of censure and amendment were adopted they allowed the minutes to be adopted without calling in question the accuracy of the record The GAZETTE however, is not concerned about what the intentions of the Councilmen were on the occasion referred to. It cannot take cognizance of intentions The official record shows that the resolution of censure and amendment were adopted, and, until a majority of our Councilmen admit that their intellects were so beclouded that they voted to censure Mr Hoguet under the idea that they were voting the resolution down, we cannot do otherwise than consider that they voted as they intended We judge of their intentions by their acts

—Below will be found the report of the committee of investigation appointed by Council to investigate the charges made in the following letter

'*Editor Bristol Weekly Times*—DEAR SIR —The report of the Council proceedings, published in your columns last week, copied from the BUCKS COUNTY GAZETTE of May 15, 1879, is about as correct and fair a statement as can be expected from a paper that is owned and run by the *clique* who are now chagrined to find their occupation gone, and their inability any longer to run the Borough and Council in their own interest, as they have heretofore done The paper which they say was passed around by me was merely a statement of the borough's liabilities and resources, prepared by myself for my own use, and was not handed to any one until I was asked for it On some future occasion I may have something more to say on the subject

Yours, truly, L A HOGUET"

The report, which was accepted by Council, and the committee discharged, disposes of the statement which has been made, that Mr Hoguet was prevented from offering evidence he had prepared to sustain the charges made in his letter The report is as follows

To the Burgess and Council of Bristol Borough—GENTLEMEN —The Committee appointed to investigate the charges against Messrs C W Peirce and C E Scheide, members of Council from the Second Ward, would beg leave to report that we appointed a meeting to which we invited all the parties concerned We invited Mr L A Hoguet to present any charges and specifications he might have against said parties, so that we might proceed with the investigation, as ordered by your body, and he stated to the Committee that he had no charges to make against said members of Council So we respectfully submit to your Honorable Body that Messrs C. E Scheide and C W. Peirce be exonerated from having been guilty of any improper conduct,—there being no charges presented against them, and that your Committee be discharged.

Yours,

J WESLEY WRIGHT,
C H LINTON,
WILLIAM H BOOZ.

—Bristol was startled as well as amazed on Sunday by an outburst of martial strains from a drum and fife corps parading the streets. It turned out that the musicians belonged to an excursion of the Catholic Society of T. A B's, from Philadelphia, which came up on the steamer Mary Morgan The excursionists, led by the drum and fife corps, paraded up Radcliffe street to the Catholic Church, and up Mill street as far as the Bath Springs. They were refused admission at the latter place, and marched back again, the drum and fifes playing in full blast After remaining in town until about five o clock in the afternoon, the party departed Father Ward, pastor of St Marks Church, was formerly assistant priest of the church where these excursionists are wont to receive their spiritual ministrations Although few persons desire to have our town made the regular rendezvous for Sunday excursionists from the city or elsewhere, there would have been little objection made to the landing of the party who came up last Sunday, if they had possessed self respect enough to desist from marring the quietness of the day, and disturbing our places of worship by a noisy parade The conduct of the excursionists was especially reprehensible, because they paraded against the express wishes of the authorities, who will doubtless take proper steps to prevent such occurrences in the future

—The clerk of the Nelly White according to the Burlington *Enterprise* recently lost or had his pocket picked of $140.

Personal Mention.

Mrs Corey is at Beach Haven

Mrs Turner is at Ocean Grove

Miss Kate Breck is visiting at Scranton.

Mrs Shoemaker is sojourning at Cairo, N Y

Charles T Harrison still lingers at Ocean Grove

Capt Thomas Rodgers was in Bristol yesterday

Master Willie Jones has arrived home from Jenkintown

Joseph H Foster has returned from his tour in the west

Beach Haven, N J, is Dr Rose's favorite sea side resort

Miss Merriam is spending her vacation at Westborough, Mass

Oliver Peirce has gone to Cape Cod, up among the Yankees

Samuel Swain is back from a two weeks stay at at Ocean Grove

Archbishop Wood, of Philadelphia was a visitor to Bristol last week

Arthur Dorrance and wife are at present located at Lake Tahoe, Cal

Horace F Ivins is seeking health and recreation at Allentown, N. J.

Miss Josephine Goodhart, of Reading, is visiting at Mr B F. Allen's.

Joseph Stevenson, formerly of Bristol, was in town one day last week.

Dr W J Wetmore is in Bristol visiting his daughter, Mrs. Edwin Wilson

Prof Babcock wife and daughter, from Connecticut, are visiting in Bristol

Mrs Pray and family are enjoying themselves by the sea side, at Ocean Grove.

Miss Lizzie Kinsey is home again from a two weeks sojourn at Chester Heights

Mrs W R Bradfield is visiting her friends in Philadelphia and Montgomery county

Mrs M E. Rankin and Anna Rankin are among the hosts of Bristolians at Ocean Grove

Mr S. W. Groff is taking a brief respite from business cares at Carversville, in this county

William F Bailey expects to attend the camp meeting at Pitman Grove, N J, next week.

Mr Alfred H Reed, of Norristown, who has been visiting Jo Grundy, left for home on Tuesday.

Mrs Deborah Lovett left Bristol yesterday for Cape May, where she is visiting her son George

Mrs Capt. William Jones and several members of her family are summering at Ocean Grove

Rev W S Perkins has been up at Pittsfield, in Berkshire County, Mass, and is now at Pokeepsie N Y

John Fabiam and sister and Miss Annie Cooper are watching the sad sea waves at Ocean Beach, N J

Dr Gross, the eminent Philadelphia physician, was in Bristol on Tuesday to visit Captain Cone

Robert G Warwick, A O Watson and W C Watson have taken a trip to the Delaware Water Gap

County Commissioner Edwin A Tomlinson, was in town on Wednesday morning on his way to Coney Island

Rev Mr Frazer, of the First Presbyterian Church, Buffalo, N Y, preached at the Presbyterian church on Sunday

Capt D I Muncey was on Sunday at Georgetown, Maine, waiting for a fair wind to bring him and his vessel home.

We are informed that Miss S J Repsher and sister will spend a week or more at the camp meeting at Pitman Grove, N J

Mr William Bache and family have removed to Bristol, and occupy the house corner of Radcliffe and Mulberry streets

George W Buck and Samuel Stockton represented the colored element of Bristol at Neshaminy Falls Grove on Sunday last

Miss Lizzie G Tomlinson is spending her vacation at Nokesville, Va., at the residence of Miss May Fredrick, formerly of Bristol

Henry and Jo Bartow have returned from Barrytown N Y where they have been enjoying the beautiful Hudson river scenery.

William P Wright, William Young, Joseph and Clarence Peirce, were among the Bristolians at Neshaminy Falls Grove last Sunday

Mrs D L Weygand and family started on Tuesday afternoon for Leavenworth City, to join her husband who went there several months ago.

Capt. Maurice B Lawrence and his schooner the Jesse W. Knight, were at Danversport, Mass, on Tuesday, ready to sail homeward

Rev Dr. Knox will depart for the Berkshire Hills, Mass., where the child poets, Dora and Elaine Goodale reside, to spend his annual vacation.

We miss the genial face of Assistant Burgess Paxson from our midst. He has been out of town for several months, seeking to regain his health in the country.

Miss Emily H Stackhouse, Miss Ellie M Turner and Miss Bessie A Bailey, three of our public school teachers, are enjoying the salt sea breezes at Ocean Grove.

Rev Mr Conard and wife arrived home last week from the sea shore, and although their visit was marred by burglarious visitors at home, they had a pleasant time.

Messrs Krichbaum, Adams, Bradfield and Chambers, who have dubbed themselves "The Bristol Walking Club," are already talking of another pedestrian jaunt next summer

Among the interested listeners at the Spiritualist Camp Meeting on Sunday were Hon C N Taylor, Clerk of Quarter Sessions Highland, and ex-Senator Harman Yerkes

Thomas B Bailey and Angus C York left Bristol on Monday for Cape May county, N J The object of their excursion is to capture some of the sea monsters of the great deep.

"Dr" Montague, "the great Indian herb doctor," was in town this week, selling his wares by torchlight. His greatness consists in the power of his lungs while advertising his decoctions

Dr. Potts, although busy with excursions in addition to his professional duties, found time to drop over to Neshaminy Falls Grove and listen to the eloquence of Mrs. Watson, of Titusville

H G Peters has displayed in his store his diploma from the Philadelphia College of Pharmacy, showing that he is a druggist of many years practical experience, and thoroughly fitted for his profession

Josiah Smith, one of the Kansas colonists, has returned to Bristol, and Richard E Shaw and others who went with him are said to contemplate following Smith's example They will all be home in time for the census of 1880.

The *Advance* states that among the Bristol onions seen diving in the waves at Ocean Grove, last Thursday, were S Neisser, J. H Vanzant, John Street and George Louderbough An extraordinary looking bunch of onions, we should say.

Mrs Bertha Sieber came back last week from a short visit to Duncannon, Pa She was the guest of the family of Rev Wm Rink, formerly of Bristol, during her stay We are sorry to learn that her health was not benefited by her trip to the mountains.

Mr J W Gilbough has rented for the summer, the residence of Miss Merriam He has as guests Mr Joseph Taylor and wife, parents of the late Bayard Taylor Mr Taylor has attained to the venerable age of 84 years He and his wife recently celebrated the sixtieth anniversary of their marriage

—The John A Warner, which naturally seems to belong to Bristol, arrived here from Florence and Penn's Valley, yesterday morning, with 300 or more persons aboard, and from the throng of people on the wharf awaiting her arrival, a reinforcement of over 200 was added to her load of passengers. About 150 people got on at Burlington, and when the city was reached the number of excursionists transferred to the Republic must have been in the neighborhood of 800. The run down the river and bay was a very pleasant one, but the trip back was pleasanter, as the sun did not shine so brightly. The excursionists reached Bristol at half past ten o'clock last night, and were welcomed home by a large concourse of people Much curiosity was excited by the large basket which was brought off the boat under the escort of Messrs George S Silbert, A L Packer, A. J Hibbs, and W K Evans, who were led by Sam Brudon, carrying a tub hilled with something of a mysterious nature We break no confidence in stating that both the basket and tub were filled with Cape May diamonds

—By reference to another column it will be seen that a large number of Bristolians are away at the seaside and mountains The sea shore seems to have greater attractions than the woods and hills, and the favorite resort appears to be Ocean Grove, where there is quite a large colony of Bristol folks located But while so many are away seeking health at the babbling rills of the mountains, and the fresh breezes and salt waves of the ocean, the greater number of people are compelled to remain at home Let them not despair, however, we have the noble Delaware river close at hand, where the poorest and humblest, as well as the richest and most exalted inhabitants, may enjoy the cool zephers that nightly blow across the water

—The *Advance* alluding to last week's excursion from Bristol to Ocean Grove says 'We saw one group of Bristol onions diving like porpoises under the incoming waves' We would be pleased to have our contemporary inform us what the other groups of 'Bristol onions" did on the excursion and how many groups there were The public will not be misled by the aspersions of the *Advance* to believe there were any "peelers" on the excursion no matter how many groups of onions there were

—Last week Captain Jonathan Cone was taken ill, and for several days was in a very critical condition, his recovery being almost despaired of even by his physician On Tuesday, Dr Gross of Philadelphia, was summoned from Cape May to attend him, and although the doctor found his patient a very sick man, he thought there was no need of fearing a fatal result from it Since then the Captain has been getting better, slowly, and we are happy to learn that there is now no doubt of his recovery

—On Saturday last, Russel, son of Wm R. Vandegrift, of Newportville, went into the cellar after a hammer, standing on a barrel to reach it, the barrel slipped from under him, when his arm caught in a meat hook in the joist, causing a terrible wound, drawing himself up with the other hand, he succeeded in releasing himself from his terrible situation Dr. Potts informs us that there is but little hope of the boy's recovery as mortification has set in.

—One of the severest thunder storms that ever visited this section burst upon our borough on Saturday evening The rain came down in torrents and was accompanied by almost continuous flashes of lightning and the most terrific thunder No serious damage was done The chimney on Charles Saxton's residence was knocked over by the lightning, and the spout on Henry G. Booze's house was struck but not much injured. The mill pond overflowed its bounds in one or two places

—The Spiritualist Camp Meeting, at Neshaminy Falls Grove, was visited last Sunday, by several Bristolians, who report that there were about five thousand persons on the ground during the day. But although so many people were present, good order was maintained and the exercises were of an interesting character Next Sunday, if the day is pleasant there will, we understand be a large delegation from Bristol at the meeting

—Our water lily venders have been trying to invade our neighboring State. Their success may be judged by the following from the last issue of the Burlington *Enterprise*. "On Wednesday of last week a small boy from Bristol came here to sell our citizens some water lilies, but was duly notified that the ordinance to protect merchants from outside competition made it necessary for him to take out a license before he could sell his wares in this city."

—An institution which if properly managed, would be well patronized in our borough is a public bath There is no lack of water in our neighborhood, so there could be no objection on that score. It is unnecessary to recount the benefits that would arise from such an enterprise. The good that would result is obvious. Let some enterprising citizen consider our suggestion and carry the project into effect.

—On Tuesday some rascal shot a pistol ball through the window of one of the cars of the train which arrives here at 12 o'clock The train was passing the Keystone forge, when the shot was fired The ball whizzed by the head of a gentleman in the car, narrowly missing him Not unnaturally he felt rather nervous Whoever fired the shot got away so quickly, or fired from such a secure hiding place, that he has not yet been discovered

—There is no danger of yellow fever breaking out in our borough, but yet the health of the people who reside in the neighborhood of Mulberry and Pond streets would not suffer if the cellar on the Landreth property, where the old machine shop used to stand, were filled up, or some other means taken to remove the pool of stagnant water, which remains there poisoning the air with miasmatic odors Referred to the Councilmen of the First ward

—A cable despatch bring the not unexpected news that Mr Welsh, who has represented the United States so unobstrusively and so intelligently at the Court of St-James, has been led by domestic afflictions to resign his post and will return home next month The Administration will be fortunate if it can replace Mr. Welsh with a successor as estimable as himself It is not likely that the Democratic majority in the Senate would be disposed to tolerate the appointment of a mere partizan to this conspicuous position were it even probable, as we are glad to believe it is not, that such an appointment could be extorted from the Secretary of State The spirit and tact displayed by Mr Welsh in his management of the negotiations which resulted in the release of the Fenian convicts last year sufficiently proved that a cool and capable man of business may be at least as safely trusted with the most inflammable questions in international diplomacy as an ambitious politician, and in the present condition of our relations with England it is a man of business who understands the commercial capabilities and interests of this country who is most needed to represent us there —*N Y World*

—A correspondent of the London *Times* says, that he recently wrote to a well known authority on South America statistics, a gentleman well known in Buenos Ayres and the Eastern South American States, asking him concerning a reported census of Paraguay The reply was "When I was in Paraguay, in September, 1876, the people had all left and gone up in rafts to the Brazilian port of Corumba. I stood in the main street of what had been the capital, Calle de los Palmas, at 9 A M, and asked the Brazilian Minister, 'Is this the best street?' To which he replied, 'Yes, and although you see no inhabitants now, there will be at sundown a dozen women going with water jars to the river side" Paraguay is a howling wilderness, the only census you could make would be of orange-trees"

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And though he's hidden, still the sun is shining;
Courage! instead of tears and vain repining,
Just bide a wee, and dinna fret.

With toil and care unending
Art beset?
Bethink thee, how the storms from heaven descending
Snap the stiff oak, but spare the willow bending,
And bide a wee, and dinna fret.

Griefs sharper sting doth borrow
From regret;
But yesterday is gone, and shall its sorrow
Unfit us for the present and the morrow?
Nay; bide a wee, and dinna fret.

CREAMERIES.

There is no other modern improvement in the practice of agriculture that has proved more convenient and profitable than the creamery. It has relieved the farmer's family of a heavy burden of work, by bringing associated effort and capital to bear upon it; it has greatly improved the quality of the product, by the possibility of engaging and paying the best skill; it has totally revolutionized the practice of dairying, by introducing winter butter making; and it has supplied consumers with a product of the best quality, which comes to them fresh and finely flavored. In addition, it has offered a home market for the farmer's milk, and has vastly extended the production and consumption of butter. As an example of what has been effected by the introduction of the creamery system may be mentioned in contrast the former and the present position of Western dairying. Not more than two years ago "Western" was a brand of reproach on a butter firkin, and commission agents had a low scale of prices established and quoted specially for western butter. Then every western farmer made his own butter. For one good dairy there were ninety and nine inferior or bad ones. But the good butter sold for no more at the village stores than the bad, and all was lumped together. All shades and flavors were mingled, worked over, and packed by the unskillful storekeeper for the eastern market, where it came to consumers, who had the pick of the best of of the near-by dairies; and it was, consequently, sold at the lowest prices, even on a low range made expressly for it. Now "Western" creamery takes the first premiums at the fairs and dairy exhibitions, and ranks some cents per pound above that of the choicest New York State dairies in the New York City market. This is because the creamery does the work of a hundred farmers' wives, many of whom had but moderate or inferior skill, by the hands of one skillful dairyman or woman, and produces butter of one even quality all the year round, at a tenth of the farmer cost for labor and materials. The necessity for keeping the creamery at work the year round led to the practice of having cows fresh in the winter; and, with all the conveniences that were possible as to warmth and even temperature in the factory, butter has been made as easily and as well in winter as in summer. Besides, the creamery managers have educated the farmers in regard to better methods of feeding and caring for cows and managing milk, so that their products are pure and of the best quality.

These have been some of the benefits which have accurred from the establishment of creameries, not only in the West but everywhere. Others, not by any means unworthy of regard, might be referred to—in the shape of of relief to the farmers' families from much drudgery and sloppy work in and about the dairy and barns, and the consequent ability of women to devote more time to household affairs and the culture of themselves and their children. In this moral point of view the benefit has been probably even greater than the material advantages derived from the economy of a division of labor and the effectiveness of co-operative efforts.

Creameries have been managed as joint-stock or co-operative affairs, owned by the "patrons," as those who furnish the milk have been called; and also as distinct properties, owned and managed by others, who purchase the milk or cream or make the butter for a certain sum per pound. The latter, as might be expected, have turned out to be more satisfactory, from the difficulty of reconciling so many diverse interests. A creamery may be profitably established where there are 150 or more cows. The number named is the least that can be worked with profit, except under very favorable circumstances. The cost of a well furnished establishment is about $3,000, and but little more is required to work up the milk of 600 or 1,000 cows. Fifteen hundred dollars may build up and equip a very fair creamery for 150 cows. It is to be remembered that the larger the number of cows the less the cost of equipment in proportion. The building should be long and narrow—about 75 feet by 25 is a convenient shape—and divided into two rooms, one for setting the milk in vats and the other for churning and working the butter. Less room is required where there is a cool spring of water available, as then deep cans may be used, which require no more than 10 inches each way for 15 quarts of milk. With shallow pans or vats, four times as much space would be required. Where there is no spring, but plenty of ice is available, the cold closet used in the Hardin system is the most economical of room. Either an abundant cold spring or an abundance of ice is necessary for success in a creamery. On the whole, the latter is the more convenient and effective and is always to be relied upon. Plans for creameries can be procured from experts, in which every detail of construction and management is given; and it would be cheaper to pay a good round sum for a good plan than to find afterward that a mistake had been made in some vital point, which would be ten times more costly to remedy. An association of farmers may be made to own a creamery and to engage a competent dairyman to work it, the association purchasing the milk or cream or charging a sum, usually three cents a pound or thereabouts, for making the butter. The skim milk is worked up into cheese, 30 pounds of milk generally make one pound of butter and one pound of cheese. The members of the association individually would sell their milk to the company, as if they were uninterested parties. This, perhaps, will be the most convenient and satisfactory manner of conducting the creamery, excepting where it is owned and the business managed by one private individual. The success of the business so far has had the effect of greatly extending it, and there are now thousands of creameries, small and large, where six years ago one was a rarity. Its effect has been to greatly enhance the value of dairy products, by exalting their quality; and it has brought millions of dollars into the pockets of farmers, with a corresponding advantage to the consumers, who have been equal gainers. It has done this by bringing to bear upon the manufacture of a staple product all the advantages to be derived from the employment of labor-saving machinery and steam-power, the division of labor, and the concentration of effort and skill into each separate department. And it is a matter of history, as well as of scientific certainty, that these have and will always succeed better than individual and crude efforts.—*New York Times.*

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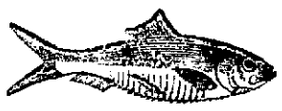

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